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American, Italian Marines In 'Brawl'

U. S. OFFICERS DENY DEATH IN SHANGHAI CAFE

"Regrets" Expressed
By The Italians For
Incident

Shanghai, Dec. 27.—(AP)—U. S. Marine officers denied today unconfirmed reports carried in all the Shanghai newspapers that an Italian marine was killed in a Christmas Eve cabaret brawl between Italians and U. S. marines and sailors.

The U. S. officers also denied that Italian authorities had officially apologized, but said they had "expressed regrets" for the incident in which nine U. S. marines and three sailors were killed as slightly injured.

The Italians refused to say how many Italian marines were injured, but the newspapers reported 20 were battered.

The fight was halted by military police of both countries.

One press report said Italian marine authorities had accepted responsibility.

Airforce Of Italy Concentrates Fire On Bardia Sector

Try To Impede British Land
Forces Around Libyan
Outpost

With British forces outside Bardia, Libya, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The Italian airforce concentrated its activity in the Bardia region today in an attempt to impede the British land forces surrounding this Libyan outpost.

Italian bombing in other parts of the desert was at a minimum.

The British Royal Air Force continued the tactics it has employed since the start of the British offensive—heavy bombing of Libyan air fields to keep the enemy on the ground as much as possible.

New Guns Arrive

Although there was no holiday truce in this North African fighting, the bombing on both sides appeared to be somewhat diminished Christmas day and night, and land fighting around Bardia was limited mainly to an artillery duel, now in progress five days. The British batteries were being strengthened steadily by arrival of new guns.

The generally greater Italian air activity in the past week, particularly the new tactic of concentrating the air bombardment, had to a belief among the British that a new Italian air commander may have taken charge.

Verne Marshall Is Warned of Actions

New York, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Verne Marshall, chairman of the No Foreign War committee, said today that daily, since formation of the committee, he had received warnings that by taking the chairmanship of the committee he had endangered his life and the lives of members of his family. He has six children.

Because of the warnings, he said, he had written a lengthy codicil to his will specifying that any part of his estate which might be needed to finance investigation and fix responsibility for "any unnatural circumstances which might attend" the death of himself, members of his family, business associates or fellow committee members "is to be so used."

Marshall added that he had placed in his strong box "certain information which would facilitate any such investigation" as that referred to in his codicil.

Weather

For Jacksonville and vicinity—cloudy today; partly cloudy and slightly warmer tomorrow.

The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, last night gave temperatures: High, 51; low, 46 and at 6 p. m. yesterday, 40.

Illinois—Cloudy, rain and colder in south and east-central portions Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, slightly warmer in northwest and west-central portions.

Temperatures

High Low

New York 42 39
Iowa 40 77
Chicago 48 37
St. Paul 34 30
Louis 52 43
Los Angeles 68 47
San Francisco 56 43
Hannibal 19 14

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ENTERS MUSICAL FIGHT

Broadcasting Firms, ASCAP Will Face Federal Suit

Washington, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Attorney General Jackson stepped into the fight over control of music for broadcasting today with an order to begin criminal proceedings under the Sherman anti-trust law against the major contestants.

Submarines operating in the Mediterranean and Atlantic ocean, a communiqué said, sank a light British cruiser and two large steamers, the last two in the Atlantic where another vessel was declared struck by a torpedo.

Cost to Facists

Athens, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Italy's ill-fated war against Greece has cost the Fascists 45,000 men in wounded alone since the campaign began Oct. 23, captured Italian officers estimated tonight as the Greeks thrust ahead through mud and snow north and northwest of Chirnara, Albania.

The officers, talking to correspondents at the front, made no estimate of the Italian dead, but said the toll was extremely high.

One Blackshirt major reported his battalion lost one-third of its men in two weeks and received no reinforcements. Others made similar statements.

Italian prisoners arriving in Ioannina, Greece, from the front were described as being in a pitiful state, many of them barely able to walk as the result of illness, frostbite or hunger.

One captured officer said his men surrounded in the Chirnara region were almost without food, even bread being scarce.

Explaining that efforts toward a voluntary agreement had failed, Arnold declared that the department would not sit by and see a "private war" in which "the public is in the position of a neutral caught between two aggressive belligerents."

Arnold said in a statement that the department recognized as legitimate the original purpose of the ASCAP to protect its members from piracy of their copyrights. He said, however, that frequent complaints had been received concerning practices which were "designed solely for the purpose of eliminating competition."

Increases In State Public School Help Association's Goal

87th Annual Meeting of Education Group in Springfield

Bejucal, Cuba, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Forty persons were reported killed and several hundred injured in this town and its vicinity tonight by a series of cyclonic disturbances which swept across western Cuba from south to north.

This town of 10,000 inhabitants and surrounding communities were placed under martial law while army officers took over direction of relief crews clearing the wreckage of more than 200 homes.

Havana, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Forty persons were reported killed and more than 100 injured when a whirlwind struck the nearby town of Bejucal.

The figures were tabulated from reports to Dr. Demetrio Despaigne, minister of health, while aid was being rushed to the beleaguered town in Havana province.

More than 200 physicians and nurses were sent from here to the stricken town.

At Rancho Boqueron, near Bejucal, 31 persons were taken to hospitals, three so badly hurt that they died almost immediately.

Havana, itself, where the Pan-American Conference on commercial and economic education is currently meeting, experienced strong wind and heavy rain which caused some old suburban homes to collapse and interfere with traffic.

Carbondale Area
To Get Big Plant

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Miss Harrington Elliott, a member of the National Defense Council, said today the army and navy have agreed that this region will be given consideration when a new munitions plant is located.

Speaking at a luncheon in her honor, Miss Elliott, formerly of Carbondale and now dean of women at the North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro, N. C., said the construction of an ammonia plant costing \$11,000,000 had been considered in this area but because it would employ only 500 persons it was agreed to withhold construction of a plant in southern Illinois until one employing more men was available.

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Paraguayan Party Members Seized

Buenos Aires, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Travelers arriving here today from Asuncion, Paraguay, said that on Christmas morning the Paraguayan military government began rounding up and imprisoning members of the Liberal party on charges they had plotted to overthrow the regime.

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Leading 1940 Movie Stars Given In Poll

Hollywood, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The 10 biggest money making movie stars this year, the Motion Picture Herald, a trade publication, determined in its annual poll of theater exhibitors, were:

1. Mickey Rooney.
2. Spencer Tracy.
3. Clark Gable.
4. Gene Autry.
5. Tyrone Power.
6. James Cagney.
7. Bing Crosby.
8. Wallace Beery.
9. Betty Davis.
10. Judy Garland.

Singing Cowboy

The highlight of this year's poll, the Herald said, in releasing the returns today, was the establishment of Autry, singing cowboy star, in fourth place. Not since the late Will Rogers topped the 1934 poll has a cowboy star been voted into a top 10 list.

Roxy, who personifies the American youth, easily retained the No. 1 position he won last year. Judy Garland rose from obscurity in the 1939 listing to her present place.

These 10 came after the favored 10 in the following order: James Stewart, Deanna Durbin, Alice Faye, Errol Flynn, Myrna Loy, Dorothy Lamour, Gary Grant, Bob Hope, Henry Fonda, Gary Cooper, Don Ameche, Jack Benny, Rogers, Anna Sheridan and William Powell.

WODEHOUSE IS WRITING NOVEL IN NAZI CAMP

British Author Seen By AP Man; Tells Of Life There

(Editor's note: Angus Thuermer of the Associated Press Berlin staff made a journey to a prison camp in Upper Silesia, eastern Germany, with special permission of the German authorities to interview P. G. Wodehouse, the British author who was taken prisoner when the German armies swept through northern France. Thuermer, a native of Quincy, Ill., hails from Chicago and joined the Associated Press Berlin Bureau shortly before the outbreak of war.)

By Angus Thuermer
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Berlin, Dec. 26.—(AP)—P. G. Wodehouse, the imperturbable creator of the unscrupulous Jeeves, is cheerfully writing a book about American crooks these days in a room in a German civilian internment camp that once was the padded cell of a madhouse.

The English author's companions in confinement are truck drivers, coal heavers, Cambridge graduates, artists, some of his master's consuls—an assortment of Britons picked up by the Nazis all the way from Brest Litovsk, Poland, to the English channel and from Kirkenes, in Norway, to the Brenner Pass.

Wodehouse was arrested in occupied France, at his villa in Le Touquet, on the channel, during the German offensive last May.

My visit to the Silesian camp where he and 1100 other British subjects are now held inside double barbed-wire fences was the result of long argument with German officials, which finally gave its permission.

The camp commander, a little Saxon colonel, had ordered the novelist brought to his office for the interview.

Wodehouse came in smiling; pulled a battered old cap from his shabby head, stretched out a hand and said:

"Well, my, my. It's certainly grand of you to come down to see me."

He was wearing a long, heavy tan bathrobe held together with a leather belt; a blue turtle-neck sweater; a tweed sports jacket, trousers and a pair of knit gloves. He was seated in a chair of sticks of paper—the inside stock of the new book.

Wodehouse and his oddly assorted companions were taken to Belgium and from there to the present camp, a group of red brick buildings with barred windows which formerly was an insane asylum.

Asked about his daily schedule Wodehouse laughed and said, looking at the camp commander:

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A White House Debutante

Washington, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Pretty dark-haired Joan Morgenthau, 16, to night had that socially coveted title: "White House Debutante." There has been only one other—Eleanor Roosevelt, niece of the First Lady—in the last eight years.

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Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Dr. Fletcher Watson, Harvard astronomer, said tonight that while the new Cunningham comet is "not quite as bright as we had hoped," the now-visible visitor had developed something tricky in tail styles.

He said the tail, now some 10,000,000 miles in length, had changed from a broad fuzzy structure to a "narrow slender streamer which is somewhat unusual as comet tails go."

Watson added that the change was no sign of disintegration but just one of those things that happen in the career of a comet "when it changes from a polywog into a frog."

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On a trial run the Acheron established a record of fuel economy. Her boiler pressure of 500 pounds per square inch was said at the time to be 66 per cent greater than anything previously attained.

No details of the action were given, nor was the date mentioned.

The loss of the Acheron brought to 36 the aggregate number of British destroyers officially acknowledged to have been lost since the war started.

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Undersea Cargo

The way to fight submarines is with submarines.

This may seem like a wiserack, but it is put forward as a practical means for Great Britain to avert or lessen the threat of the Nazi U-boats against her surface ships. Her present blockade line.

The suggestion is not the ferment of a landlubber's brain. On the contrary, Simon Lake, the man who offers it to Washington as a means of "aid to Britain," is an experienced designer of submarines.

His plan is simple. Make submarines to carry freight to England, replacing the big surface ships, which are now furnishing easy targets for enemy submarines.

A fleet of 100 cargo submarines could carry nine million tons of food overseas each year—and beat the German U-boats at their own game.

Illinois occupies a middle ground in that tabulation, its average family of 3.6 persons being midway between the "big" family of 4.5 persons, in North Carolina and the family of 3.2 persons shown in the figures from all the Pacific coast states, Washington, Oregon and California.

AT LA RUE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Russell of Chillicothe, Mo., Miss Mary LaRue of Princeton, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Howell of Ipava are holiday visitors with Mrs. Josephine LaRue and other relatives here.

The Average Family

Census figures for 1940 indicate

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that the average family in the United States is composed of 3.8 persons. That is a shrinkage from 41, the average in the census for 1930.

The general trend for smaller families in this country has been gradual for several decades. In 1920, for instance, the average was 4.3 persons per family, in 1910 the number was 4.7 persons, and in 1890 the figure was 4.9.

This is not a startling decrease, but its significance is not to be overlooked.

In general the advances of so called civilization seem to be concurrent with the decrease in the number of persons in the average family.

One might think the trend should be the other way. When conditions of life were hard, one might think there would be fewer children brought into the world. The contrary is true.

Americans may not be growing "soft" but generally speaking they live in smaller although much more "comfortable" homes. Millions are now living in apartment buildings of three or four rooms, and the old fashioned "mansion" of a dozen rooms is going out, as every city well knows.

There is another "side" to the story, however. In the decade from 1930 to 1940, the number of families increased 16.3 percent, whereas the rate of population increase was only 7.2 percent.

An increase of two million families would have accounted for the total population increase between 1930 and 1940. But on account of the smaller number of persons per family, it required an increase of 4,900,000 families to make up the 7.2 percent population growth.

It is easy to see why the general average family is smaller. In the days of unlimited immigration, the immigrants brought big families when they entered this country. Now, when immigration is much restricted, the children brought into America must be "home grown" and not imported.

A big freight ship is easily seen on the surface by the sneaking enemy undersea boat carrying its deadly torpedo.

But a cargo ship that can submerge as easily as a naval submarine would be an ideal method of food transport. The cost per ton of submarine transport would be less than by surface ships, Designer Lake contends.

Pupils of Concord Primary Rooms Present Christmas Operetta



—Journal-Courier Photo,

Louise Rose, shown in the above picture, is a pupil of the primary rooms at Concord grade school Monday night presented the operetta, "Christmas Awakening", under the direction of Miss Mary.

Left to Right—Fairies: Dorothy Mae Smith, Mona Kershaw, Barbara Nickel, Wanda Johnson, Joan Hacker, Shirley Smith, Thelma Jean Laughary.

Seated at table: Loren Dean Gish, June Christine Laughary, Dolly Margaret Ann Schidman. Soldiers: left to right: Robert Ommen, David Young, Franklin McDannald, Jumping Jack, Donald Powers, Cleta Faye Brockhouse, Betty Lou McDannald, Jeanette Beddingfield, Loren Standley.

Back Row—School friends: left to right: Dorothy Lee Standley, Donald Powers, Cleta Faye Brockhouse, Betty Lou McDannald, Jeanette Beddingfield, LaVerne Hacker, Juanita Carter, Patty Williams, Jerry Miller, Wendell Yeek, Marlene Miller and Constance Nickel.

Newlyweds Visit Woodson Relatives

Iowa Couple Are Guests At Home of Bride's Great Uncle and Aunt

Woodson—Mr. and Mrs. Warren Darland of Montezuma, Iowa, who were united in marriage Saturday, Dec. 21, are visiting at the home of their great uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Meggison. Mrs. Darland was formerly Miss Louella Rutherford. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas of Iowa.

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Several Cases of Illness at Alsey

Mrs. Joe Mikus Reported to Be in Critical Condition; Alsey News

Alsey, Dec. 24.—Several cases of sickness are reported in this community. Mrs. Joe Mikus is in a critical condition at her home here. Reginald Hankins is recovering from pneumonia. Mrs. Jane Wells is suf-

fering with bronchial pneumonia at the home of her father, Henry Carter.

News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hoots were guests at dinner Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Coulas of Riggaton. The occasion honored the birthday Dec. 22nd of both Mr. and Mrs. Hoots.

Miss Jeannette Black, a student at U. of I., is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Black.

Eugene Grimsley, a student at Normal University, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grimsley.

Burl Hornbeck of Winchester was a business caller at Alsey Saturday. Clement Coats, a student at Illinois College, is spending the holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McLaughlin and sons, Henry and Danny, left Friday for McAllen, Texas, where they will visit over the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Fletcher.

Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mrs. Ethel Priest and daughter, Miss Wilma, were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Savage and family Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and family on Sunday were Harold Moore of White Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith of Roodhouse. Kenneth Moore accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Gauges of Jacksonville are visiting over the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gauges.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Daniel and family were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hurst of near Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Daniel and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Daniel.

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PORK LOIN ROAST	3 TO 4 LBS. INCLUDING END	Lb. 12½c
BACON SQUARES		Lb. 12½c

BLUE ROSE	RICE	FANCY	2 Lbs. 9c
FRESH COUNTRY	EGGS	CONTAINS VALUABLE VITAMINS	Doz. 25c
GREAT NORTHERN	BEANS	CHOICE WESTERN	5 Lbs. 19c
LIBRARY ALL-PURPOSE	FLOUR	24 Lbs. 59c	5 Lbs. 19c
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SANTA CLARA	PRUNES	LARGE SIZE	2 Lbs. 19c
UNIVERSITY	BUTTER	FRESH CREAMERY	Lb. 37c
PUFFED AND NECTAR	RAISINS	SUN-MAID	2 15c
WHITE OR YELLOW	CORN MEAL		5 15c
FLORIDA MEDIUM SIZE	ORANGES		Doz. 15c

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NO. 1 JONATHAN	APPLES	ILLINOIS GROWN	5 Lbs. 23c
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Lead by Jean Gosselin, famous one-legged skier, Quebec's junior champion Marc Fortier and Eddie Dion swoop off from the summit of Mont St. Castin at Lac Beauport, forming spectacular picture against the frozen Canadian landscape.

New Berlin Couple Given Surprise On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breeding Entertain Relatives On Anniversary

New Berlin—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breeding observed their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday with a pot luck dinner at their home. They are the parents of two daughters, Mrs. Leonard Lewis and Miss Annabelle Breeding, and have one grandson, Gerald Lewis.

Guests enjoying the anniversary dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Sam File of Waverly; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Verry, Chatham; Mr. and Mrs. James Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Coons, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herr, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis and son, Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wennerborg, Misses Charlotte Wennerborg, Lizzie Coons and Annabelle Breeding.

Mrs. Leonard Lewis was hostess to her Sunday school class Friday evening at her home. The evening was spent in playing games, with Frances Smith, Frances Glassetter, Mae Behl, Patty Lewis, Sydney Mayes and Edward Hill, all being class members and winners of prizes. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

The Modern Woodman Lodge held a business meeting at the J. F. Hunziker hardware store and elected officers for the new year. They are: V. C. G. P. White; W. A. William Dippel, Jr.; E. B. Guy Hanner secretary; J. F. Hunziker; escort, Fred Preston; sentinel, William Murphy. The business meeting was followed by an oyster supper at Knust's restaurant.

The Presbyterian Sunday school held a Christmas party Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Evan Taylor. After a Sunshine sister gift exchange, Mrs. Clara Belle Graves of Springfield gave an interesting address. Musical numbers were presented by Mrs. Gottlieb DeMuth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Washburn and daughter, Patricia, left Saturday for a two weeks' auto trip to New Orleans and other southern cities.

VISITS FROM INDIANA

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Maddox of Decatur, Indiana, are spending the holidays with relatives and friends in this city.

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Royal portable

Implement Shed Leveled By Fire

Tractor, Corn Picker And Other Equipment In Farm Building

An implement shed on the farm of Arthur Glossop, one mile north of Winchester, was completely destroyed by flames at about 10 o'clock Christmas eve. The building was in flames when first noticed, and the origin of the fire is unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Graff of this city spent Christmas day visiting his sisters and families at the home of his nephew, Earl Longlett, at Liberty, Illinois.

In the building were a Farmall outfit, a corn picker and a combine. The loss is only partly covered by insurance.

VISIT AT LIBERTY

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Graff of this city spent Christmas day visiting his sisters and families at the home of his nephew, Earl Longlett, at Liberty, Illinois.

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District Officers Of Kiwanis Assume Duties January 1

George T. Lukeman of This City is A Lieutenant Governor

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 26.—Harry S. Himmel of Chicago, governor-elect of the Illinois-Eastern Iowa Kiwanis district, and all other 1941 officials will take office on January 1.

Mr. Himmel was elected last October at the annual district convention in Peoria. Rev. Horace Batchelor, of Mattoon, is the retiring governor.

In the Illinois-Eastern Iowa dis-

trict there are 127 clubs with a membership of 5,992. Mr. Himmel stated, and in the United States and Canada there were 2,120 clubs with a membership of over 110,000.

The thirteen lieutenant governors who will take office next week are:

Illinois: Harold G. Stutman, Aledo; Floyd Emerick, Canton; Dr. Raymond H. McPherron, Arthur R. Snyder, and Frank A. Ramsey, of Chicago; Raymond H. Warnecke, Forest Park; Harold H. Hopcock, Freeport; George T. Lukeman, Jacksonville; Grant D. Shanklin, Macomb; William E. Wetherington, Metropolis; E. R. Klein, Ottawa; Jesse R. Sheets, Robinson.

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Well Matched Field Ready For Get-Away In Routt Tournament

With at least six of the eight teams entered apparently evenly matched, Routt high school's holiday tournament will get underway Saturday afternoon with two games to be followed by three sessions of three games each. The tournament will wind up Sunday night with the championship, third place, and consolation championship games.

Out of the south Jimmie Darrow is bringing a bunch of lads from Cairo who hadn't been defeated in their first five starts this year. The 'Fighting Irish' from the southern tip of the state had only one close call in winning from Fancy Farm. Ky. Grand Chain, St. Mary's of Cape Girardeau, Mounds and Karnak Grand Chain losing by a four point margin.

From Belleville, Brother Henry Heidemann, a graduate of Dayton U., is bringing a team which has played only three games thus far, but which is composed of six lettermen from last year's state Catholic tournament team. They were here last year and performed with considerable skill.

Central Catholic of E. St. Louis won two and lost one of its first three games. E. St. Louis senior high school stopping the Pioneers, after Central had registered a 22 to 20 win over Cleveland high of St. Louis. Six of

strong this year. The Notre Dame lads won from Springfield's Cathedral, and lost to E. St. Louis, both games ending in close scores.

St. Mary's of Mt. Sterling has the worst record of the field, having failed to win a single game in seven starts. Routt meets them in the second game of the opening round and should advance to the Sunday afternoon semifinals. The Rockets themselves have shown flashes of power, particularly in their last few games and should be ready to step into the fast competition.

Hot Night Session

Although the afternoon session Saturday promises to provide some fireworks when Cairo and Belleville schools tangle, the night session will provide some of the warmest basketball of the tournament if the visiting teams come up to expectations.

Cathedral of Springfield will meet Central Catholic of E. St. Louis in the first of the championship round games Saturday night, and Notre Dame of Quincy meets Corpus Christi of Galesburg in the second tilt.

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Manhattan Loses To Illini, 56 to 40

New York, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The "stretch" of Art Mathison was too much for Manhattan's little, but stubborn, basketballers in a bristling second half tonight, and the University of Illinois quintet came through with a 56 to 40 win before some 16,000 fans in Madison Square Garden.

Piling up their biggest score of the season, during which they set a new Madison Square Garden record by making good on 18 straight foul shots, the Illini turned on the heat during the final period simply because Mathison, the biggest man on the court, was there or thereabouts whenever the going was hottest under the basket.

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EDDIE MILLER

Boston, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Eddie Miller, the National League's best fielding shortstop, today signed his 1941 contract for President Bob Quinn of the Boston Bees and then headed for Orlando, Fla., with his family.

Miller, who batted .275, performed in 151 games, making 405 putouts and figuring in 122 double plays.

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BOWLING SCORES

R AND R ALLEYS			
Commercial League			
Beerup's DX			
Player:	1st.	2nd.	3rd. Tot.
Murgatroyd	206	193	173 572
Hawkins	203	180	171 564
Patrick	152	218	189 559
Peters	180	213	196 589
Watts	172	191	161 532
Total	913	997	888 2806
Team	No. 3		
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd. Tot.
Darush	150	183	178 521
Woolridge	93	115	100 308
Lew	113	155	119 387
Owens	163	139	160 462
Blesse	162	165	159 486
Total	681	757	716 2164
Won 0; lost 3.			

Oldsmobile			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
S. Calvin	171	182	148 501
Wolke	202	179	205 586
Crum	154	105	171 430
Rowland	165	182	142 489
Alexander	128	163	151 442
Handicap	32	23	46
Total	852	834	865 2448
Won 0; lost 3.			

Jacksonville Motor Sales			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
Reynolds	167	188	156 511
Perbix	131	165	175 471
Flynn	136	201	185 492
Korschmeier	165	150	180 503
Cooney	189	149	176 464
Handicap	27	27	27
Total	795	880	847 2441
Team	No. 5		
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd. Tot.
Myers	133	149	119 401
Fernandez	134	118	70 322
Early	99	99	99 297
Drake	157	126	136 419
Ballard	171	175	146 492
Total	604	657	570 1931
Won 1; lost 2.			

White Front Cafe			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
Watson	160	175	165 500
Henley	154	155	150 459
Kemp	162	180	184 528
Stribling	152	185	160 497
Eoff	237	210	194 641
Total	865	905	853 2623
Won 3; lost 0.			

May Barbers			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
Fischer	210	168	208 566
Knowles	157	160	151 468
Fronabarger	148	171	168 487
Hughett	149	149	149 447
Thompson	150	180	148 478
Total	814	828	824 2466

ACWA			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
Lew	132	133	135 419
Adams	127	173	194 494
McDaniels	151	159	159 477
Arundel	158	172	180 517
Reveal	176	172	189 517
Myers	165	158	152 323
Handicap	33	59	59
Total	805	860	874 2388
Won 2; lost 1.			

RC Cola			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
F. Olsen	133	198	126 459
Kuppler	142	167	142 451
Cannon	180	157	165 511
H. Calv. in	180	202	215 597
Webb	180	141	180 485
Total	832	865	819 2516

Club Billiard Parlor			
Player			
1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.			
Witt	161	133	174 488
White	194	156	172 522
Farrar	145		

Gilbert's Pharmacy Lease Transferred To Kline's Store

Drug Store Location for 75 Years to Become Part Of Department Store

The lease on the room occupied by Gilbert's Pharmacy at the corner of South Main street and the square has been transferred to Kline's Department Store, and after Feb. 1, the main

room will be extended to include the present drug store location. Announcement of the transfer was made Thursday by M. E. Gilbert, owner of the pharmacy, and P. W. Davidson, manager of Kline's store. The transfer is being made by mutual agreement of the two firms.

The change will be effective Feb. 1. Mr. Gilbert stated that he expects to move his store to a new location, which will be announced later. The room has been occupied by a drug store for at least 75 years. Mr. Gilbert purchased the store 20 years ago from the Lulu-Davis Drug Co. He was at that time operating the store on West State street, and continued to operate both stores for some time. Mr. Gilbert has been in the drug business here for 33 years.

The South Main corner was formerly the Obermeyer drug store. It is said the first soda fountain in Jacksonville was set up in this location.

In commenting on the transfer of the lease to Kline's, Mr. Davidson stated that the main floor of the store is to be extended to include the Gilbert location. The enlargement will

also mean the construction of a new and modern front on the south side of the square, and the extension of a display window on South Main street. The entire interior of the main floor will be modernized and redecorated. New fixtures will be installed, and indirect fluorescent lighting will be provided. When completed the department store will be one of the most modern in this section of Illinois, Mr. Davidson said. Construction will start Feb. 1, and it is planned to have the improvements finished not later than Mar. 1.

The enlargement of the store will be accompanied by an increase in merchandise stocks. The present lines of popular-priced goods will be continued, and there is to be added merchandise in the higher priced brackets.

BIRTH RECORD

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Anderson of Chapin are the parents of a daughter, born Christmas day at Passavant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kirkham, 705 West Lafayette avenue, are the parents of a daughter, born Thursday morning at Our Saviour's hospital.

DESES CHRISTMAS MORNING

Lester Ludwig of Jerseyville died at 5:15 o'clock Christmas morning at Our Saviour's hospital, where he had been under treatment several weeks.

The remains were taken to Jerseyville for funeral services and burial.

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Announce Federal Civil Service Jobs

Many Positions With Good Salaries Now Open To Qualified Persons

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced that applications will be accepted at its Washington office until January 16 if received from states east of Colorado for the positions listed below.

The salaries are subject to a deduction of 3½ percent toward a retirement.

Associate and assistant aquatic biologist, \$2,200 and \$2,600 a year respectively. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior. Optional subjects are fishery biology, agriculture and limnology, and physiology and nutrition. Applicants will be required to take a written test, but will be rated on their education and experience. They must have completed a 4-year college course with specialized major study, and have had field or laboratory experience in responsible biological investigations in one of the optional subjects.

Assistant biological aid (fisheries), \$1,620 a year. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior. At least 3 years' practical field or laboratory experience in fishery investigations.

Metallurgical engineer and metallurgist, various grades with salaries ranging from \$5,600 to \$3,200 a year. Persons are needed to fill positions in the Bureau of Mines in connection with the national defense program.

Applicants must have completed a 4-year college course with major study in certain scientific subjects, and have

had responsible experience in metallurgy or metallurgical engineering. Substitution of appropriate college study may be made. Applicants will be rated on a general written test.

Junior calculating machine operator, \$1,440 a year. Applicants will be given a practical test which will be performed on a calculating machine. They must have reached their eighteenth but must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. Closing dates are January 16 for applications received from states east of Colorado and January 20, 1941, from Colorado and states westward.

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Many Visitors At Murrayville Christmas Day

Several Dinners Enjoyed In Homes During The Holiday

Murrayville, Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Ira Story had as their dinner guests Christmas day, her brother, Robert Osborne and son Charles of Royal Oak, Mich., and sons Jimmie and Bobby of Chaddick Boys School, Quincy, Keith Fuller of Chanute Field and Mrs. Emma Osborne.

Rev. Harry Fish of Beecher City visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark on Saturday.

Mrs. Agnes McGuire of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hogan of Winchester spent Christmas with Mrs. Emma McGuire and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Worrall and family of Virden, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Worrall and family of Richwoods, and Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Worrall and family of Jacksonville visited their mother, Mrs. Mary E. Worrall and son Gilbert on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones were guests Christmas day of relatives in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cote and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark and son Worth, were entertained at Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hamilton.

Mrs. Eva Mortimer and brother, Earl of near Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Strang spent Christmas with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wright.

Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cade were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoecker and son Bobby of Jacksonville and Mrs. Myrtle Southwell of Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Strang and son Sammy spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. S. P. Davis in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Regina McGrath left Thursday for Chicago, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Fred Lauritzen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pahlman entertained their family at dinner on Christmas day. Those present were Miss Thelma Pahlman of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Strang and daughter Carol, Mr. and Mrs. John Pahlman and Chester Stewart of Sinclair.

Mrs. Ella Jennings and daughter, Miss Grace, of Bloomington, are spending the holidays with relatives and friends here and in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wright of Aurora came Christmas evening to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wright and son, Billy Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Riggs entertained at the following Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stansbury and children, Benny, Eva Mae and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Riggs and children, Harold and Marianne, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riggs and children, Buddy, Carl, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pate and daughter Linda Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ruse, Mrs. John Hull and sons Lee and Francis and Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson and daughters Georgia and Margaret were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Devine spent Christmas with their sisters, Misses Margaret and Maude Coker and brother, Logan Coker in Jacksonville.

Charlotte Ann Sunderland has returned to her home near Manchester after spending the past ten days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Story.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clarkson were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clarkson and family of Norris City, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Crabtree and daughter of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. John Irland and family.

Mrs. R. H. Heenthal and daughter, Halle Lea of Roodhouse were dinner guests Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heenthal.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMahon were Mr. and Mrs. George Knipfel, son George, Jr. and daughter Judy and Mrs. Leslie Smith of St. Louis, Jack Rammage and Mr. and Mrs. Orville McMahon and son Billy and Mrs. Lola Johnson of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons of near Modesto, entertained at their Christmas dinner on Sunday. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzsimmons of Murrayville, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Wise of Carlville, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Fitzsimmons of Winchester and Miss Elizabeth Fitzsimmons of Evans-ton.

Supper guests were Mrs. Fitzsimmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dowland of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shanner of Carlville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rimbey spent Christmas with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hurlebrink of Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heaton and family were Christmas dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Scholfield in Jacksonville.

Mary Elizabeth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons of Modesto, is quite ill with pneumonia following the whooping cough.

MINISTER OF FRANCE RETURNS FROM PARIS

Vichy, France, Dec. 26.—(P)—Nav. Minister Jean Darlan returned today from Paris, where it is believed he told German authorities how collaboration with France might continue.

This minister, who appears to have taken over Pierre Laval's place as negotiator with Germany, conferred with Chief of State Petain, Defense Minister General Charles Huntziger, Interior Minister Marcel Pervouton and Finance Minister Yves Bouthillier.

Darlan went to Paris Christmas Eve on an officially undefined government mission.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM ALEXANDER

Alexander, Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Bergschneider, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bergschneider, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hermes and family of New Berlin, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lenergan of San Jose, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. John Coop, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hermes and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes and daughter, Anne Louise, spent Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Josephine Walsh and family.

Leona LeBeau of Jacksonville is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belk and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simpson at New Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whelan spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallbaum at Pleasant Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boggs and family of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood, Mabel Mosley of Jacksonville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colwell and family spent Christmas day with Margaret and Orville Young of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayberry spent Christmas day with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parmelee and Billy are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Douglas at Colfax, Illinois.

Mrs. Ida Burmeister and son Jack spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Howard Muller and family at Ashland.

Jean Simpson of New Berlin is visiting with Norma Jean and Francis Belk.

WODEHOUSE IS WRITING NOVEL IN NAZI CAMP

(Continued from Page One)
"Well, am I allowed to tell him?" "Sure, why not?" the English-speaking officer replied.

No Manual Labor

The prisoners, Wodehouse then said, have reveille at 6 a. m., dress and wash, have breakfast and then roll call at 8 a. m. After that they have a chance to see the doctor, and are free to pursue their chosen activity until lunch time, since as civilians they are not required to do manual labor.

The 1,100 men eat in three shifts in a dining hall.

"Immediately after roll call I go over to the White House, our amusement and concert hall," Wodehouse said, "to do some more work on the book which I started here. It's about three American crooks who appeared in one of my other books and the scene, as usual, is laid in England."

"This is the first time in 35 years that I've written a book in long hand. Oh, but now," the writer recalled, "even though it's stopped, as the commandant has been kind enough to lend me his typewriter."

Refuses Privileges

Wodehouse, who obviously struck the right note with his German captors by his gracious bearing and cordiality, endeared himself even more when he refused to accept special housing privileges. The commandant, in a statement, asserted that no combination of powers could "successfully attack" the United States if its national defenses were adequately built up "on land, sea and in the air."

"None know this better than the men, high in power, who now seek to condition us for war," he said. "This is not being done by the Democratic party, but by a 'monstrous product of monstrous conditions,' to which the Democratic party has temporarily surrendered . . ."

Mrs. Longstreet's statement was published along with one by Marshall as a Christmas message in the Cedar Rapids (Iowa) Gazette, of which Marshall is editor.

In the twilight the long room resembled anything but the villa from which Wodehouse came. Unshaded light bulbs hung down from the ceiling.

In view of Wodehouse's age and position, interested American parties have been interesting in his behalf with the German police authorities to get him outside the barbed wire and into hotel where he merely could report periodically to the authorities. Their efforts so far have been in vain.

Lloyd Harrison's Death Occurs In Chicago Hospital

Was Former Local Man And Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Harrison of City

Word was received in Jacksonville Thursday of the death of Lloyd Harrison, aged 36, which occurred in Alexian Bros. Hospital in Chicago, Thursday morning, December 26th. His passing followed several weeks of illness.

Mr. Harrison is survived by his wife, his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Harrison, 652 South Prairie street, Jacksonville, who were with him at the time of his passing. Also a brother, Howard Harrison of Howell, Mich., and a sister, Ruth Harrison of Chicago.

Mr. Harrison formerly resided in Jacksonville, but made his home in Chicago for the past several years.

Arrangements as to time and place of funeral are yet incomplete.

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Christmas Play To Be Presented At Baptist Church

Drama, "The Tinker", To Be Given Next Sunday Evening

Preparations for the presentation of the three-act Christmas play, "The Tinker" at the First Baptist church next Sunday evening are progressing satisfactorily. This drama of the present-day setting of the Christmas message is remarkable in its appreciation of the real meaning of Christmas and its understanding of the difficulties of a modern family trying to "keep up with the Joneses" on a small salary. The complications which arise when the family think they are about to inherit a large fortune from a long-lost "Uncle Toby" are most interesting.

The members of the cast which will present this play are:

Mrs. Ethel Whitney—Mrs. Lucille Russell.

Mr. David Whitney—John Stewart.

Miss Marjorie Whitney—Miss Berita Ashby.

Jack Whitney—Glenn Thompson.

Jane Seymour (Marjorie's roommate at college)—Miss Wanda Maher.

Jeremy Whitney (David's ne'er-do-well brother)—Russell Griffiths.

"The Tinker," a traveling clock mender—C. A. Boyd.

In addition to these members of the cast, who have been rehearsing constantly for some weeks, a number of the members of the B.Y.P.U. are actively at work on various committees. The stage committee, Mr. Raymond Wallbaum, Earl Curtis, Carol Rexroat; properties committee, Miss Mabel Smith, Peggy Goodrich, Marcella Taylor; music committee, Jean Mitchell; advertising committee, Marian Coolidge, David Hauck, Miss Frances L. Brummett is the president of the Yuletide season with Christmas trees and lights. With the exception of the community and school programs, no other public observances were held.

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Widow of Notable Civil War General Joins No-War Move

Mrs. Longstreet Gives Her Opinion on How Best To Protect This Nation

New York, Dec. 26.—(P)—Vernon Marshall, chairman of the No Foreign War committee, announced yesterday that Mrs. Helen Doroth Longstreet, widow of the noted Civil War general, had become a member of the organization's board of directors.

National organizer of the Defenders of the Republic, Mrs. Longstreet, in a statement, asserted that no combination of powers could "successfully attack" the United States if its national defenses were adequately built up "on land, sea and in the air."

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Hiermans Will Be C. S. C. Hostesses

To Entertain At Chandlerville; Other News Notes Of Interest

Chandlerville, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Elizabeth Hierman and her daughter Miss Edna Hierman, will be hostesses to the C.S.C. on Dec. 30 at 6:30 o'clock at their country home south of Chandlerville. Members of the organization will assist in providing a covered dish supper. Election of officers for the coming year will occupy the business session provided over by Mrs. Jepta Armstrong, Jr. Mystery Pals will be identified during the social hour with arrangements cared for by Mrs. W. A. McNell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McEvans, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Barnett, Mrs. Julie Adams, daughters, Mrs. Lola Bowman and Mrs. Eva Young, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowman were all supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Howard and family in Carrollton on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Killebrew and his mother, Mrs. May Killebrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cliff Lewis took Christmas dinner with his brother, Clyde Lewis and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham of East St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rehnum and Mrs. A. B. Young were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hazellrigg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Haney spent Christmas day with her mother, Mrs. Cora Bain and family in Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garrison and daughter, Geraldine were among the relatives at a Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Clara Garrison in Hillview.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stice and daughter, Wanda of Alton came up to spend Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. S. Leitz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Young, son Alton, and children and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Northrop and family were dinner guests on Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. George Baxter.

Mrs. Artie Howard visited through Christmas in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Byrl McGlasson and family at Haypress.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvans and children were dinner guests Wednesday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Savage and family, south of Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tipsword and family visited through Christmas in the homes of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hartmann in Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cloninger and family were Christmas visitors with relatives in Alton.

Cordell Leitz and lady friend returned to Kewanee Tuesday after a few days' visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orr Shanksland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormund Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Amel Hill entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Leo Duckwiler and children and Thomas Duckwiler.

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Changes in programs as listed due to
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8:00—Dance Music Organs—nbc-wis-west

King Arthur Jr. rpt.—nbc-blue-west

11:00—Broadcading Times—wab-wis

8:00—Edgar Hill—wab-wis-west

8:15—Chicago's Rascals—chb-west

8:15—Dance Orch. News—nbc-wis-west

8:15—Sports News—nbc-wis-west

Irene Wicker, Stock Market—chb-west

Heads Hopper on Movies—chb-wis

Yella Pessi, Harpsichord—chb-west

8:45—Dinner Time—wab-wis-west

Only Revere, by Orchestra—chb-west

Dancing Music Orch.—chb-wis-east

Bud Barton's Serial—nbc-blue-west

10:00—The Lone Ranger—chb-west

Harold Turner's Pianist—chb-wis-west

6:45—Pearson's Sp. Page—nbc-wis-west

Lowell Thomas, News—nbc-wis-west

Tom Myron, News—nbc-wis-west

European War Broadcast—chb-wis

Capt. Midnight, repeat—chb-midwest

7:00—Waking Time—nbc-wis-east

Dancing Music Organs—chb-wis

Amos and Andy, Sketch—chb-wis

Fulton Lewis, Jr., "Talk"—mbe-chain

7:15—Sports News—nbc-wis-west

Lanny Ross in Storyland—chb-wis

Red Grange on Sports—mbs-midwest

7:30—Alec Templeton Time—nbc-wis

Dr. Ladd, the Consultant—chb-wis

Al Pearce and George, News—chb-wis

Dancing Music Orchestra—chb-wis

Long Range, Drama—chb-wis-east

7:45—The Lone Ranger—chb-wis

Vincent Jones and Guitar—nbc-wis

8:00—Lucille Manners Con—nbc-wis

Training Camp Broadcast—nbc-wis

8:15—Kaleidoscope—chb-wis

Low Loyal Drama Series—mbs-chb

8:30—Information, Please—nbc-wis

Death Valley Days, Drama—nbc-wis

10:00—The Lone Ranger—chb-wis

8:45—Elmer Davis, News—chb-wis

9:00—Abe Lyman, Waitress—nbc-wis

Johnny Powers, Drama—nbc-wis

9:15—Gabriel Heatter's Talk—w—basic

9:30—Remington Rhythm—mbs-net

9:30—Arrhythmia, Drama—chb-wis

Dancing Music Orchestra—chb-wis

News, Birthdays in Literature—chb-wis

Playhouse Presentations—chb-wis

I Want a Divorce, Drama—mbs-wis

10:00—The Lone Ranger—chb-wis

To Be Announced (30 m.)—chb-wis

Comment on News—mbs-wis

10:15—The Lone Ranger—chb-wis

10:30—Dancing Music Organs—chb-wis

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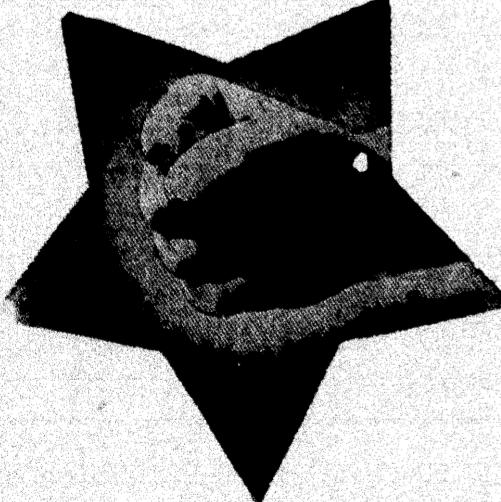
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Swine Advance For
The Third Session

Chicago, Dec. 26.—(P)—Hogs marked up an advance for the third consecutive session this week as weights under 220 pounds rose 15 to 25 cents. Topping at \$7.25 today, the best price since the beginning of September, best hogs have gained 90 cents this week.

Fed steers and yearlings were steady to weak with heifers off 25 cents, while cows, bulls and vealers were strong to higher. Lambs sold steady to 25 cents higher and topped at \$10.

Receipts of hogs totaling 21,000 were relatively light for the third day this week. Shipping demand again was improved, shippers taking 3,000 head. Average cost yesterday was \$6.63 compared with \$5.58 a year ago. A few late sales of hogs scaling 220 pounds down were 10 to 15 cents lower than earlier but the bulk sold at the advance. Heavier butchers moved slowly at mostly steady prices.

Strictly good and choice steers and yearlings were steady but scarce while others which predominated were unevenly weak to 25 cents off. Choice weighty steers brought \$14.65 but choice to prime 1,066 pound yearlings reached \$15, a new high for that weight. Cows and bulls were strong to 15 cents up while vealers were 50 cents up.

A few choice handiweight lambs brought \$9.90 to \$10. The latter was the top.

East St. Louis Livestock
East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 26.—(P)—

(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs—Total receipts 9,000; salable 8,500; uneven, steady to 15¢ higher than average. Today: extreme top 5¢ lower at \$7.00, mostly for 180-210 lbs.; good and choice 170-250 lbs., \$6.85 to \$7.00; 140-160 lbs., \$6.25 to 75¢; 100-200 lbs., \$5.25 to 75¢; some steady at \$5.50 to 15¢.

Cattle—Total receipts 2,700; salable 2,500; calves, 1,000; salable 800; relatively little on steers; some opening deals fully steady with Tuesday at \$9.00 to 10.50; mixed yearlings and heifers opening steady to strong; cow-steers fully steady; bulls 25¢ higher; vealers 75¢ higher; medium to 5¢ good heifers and mixed yearlings largely \$8.00 to 10.25; beef cows \$5.50 to 6.50¢; a few up to \$7.00; top sausage bulls \$2.75; top vealers \$1.00; nominal range slaughter steers, \$7.00 to 14.00; slaughter heifers, \$6.00 to 12.50; stocker and feeder steers, \$5.75 to 10.50.

Sheep—Total receipts 700, all salable; lambs opened steady to strong; good to choice wooled lambs, \$3.50 to 75¢; a few lots fall clipped \$0.25; other classes scarce.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 26.—(P)—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 90.

Corn, No. 3 yellow 61-62¢; No. 4 white 65-66¢.

Oats, No. 2 white 39¢; No. 3, 37¢; No. 2 white heavy 40¢; sample grade, 28; sample grade mixed grain 31; No. 1 mixed heavy 38¢; No. 1 red extra heavy 38¢.

Barley, malting 55-64¢ nominal; feed 42-52 nominal; sample grade 48.

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message under the checked figures give you.

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light. Phone 1572-Z.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Eight thoroughbred Hamp-
shire sheep. Vaccinated. \$60. West
Michigan.

12-27-21

FOR SALE—PIANO

FOR SALE—Two good used upright
pianos, priced for quick sale. John-
son's Music Store.

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FOR RENT—Modern 3 room unfur-
nished apartment, private bath.
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FOR RENT—2 or 3 room apartment
nicely furnished or partly furnish-
ed. Electrically equipped kitchen.
Private bath. Forced air heat.
Adults. 691 East State. 12-15-11

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FOR RENT—Modern new 4 room
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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished large,
strictly modern two-room private
apartment. Outside entrance and
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ment. Could pay part work. Phone
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Westminster. Phone 147-Y.

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Roodhouse Couple Celebrate Their 30th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tatman Honored At Dinner By Daughter

Roodhouse, Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Tatman of Roodhouse celebrated the 30th anniversary of their marriage December 25, Christmas, with their daughter, Mrs. Ray Brown of White Hall, who gave a turkey dinner in their honor. On December 26, 1910, Fred S. Tatman and Dennis L. Hutchens of Eldred, Ill., were united in marriage in the Mason county court house at Havana, Ill., by the Rev. Ralph V. Callaway, Christian minister. Mrs. Tatman was a school teacher and taught several terms in Jersey and Greene county. For 10 years, Mr. Tatman was an all-around blacksmith and a registered horse shoer of some reputation and at different times operated his own shop in Eldred, Walkerville and Patterson. He also had charge of the big shop at the McClay Orchards, near Hillview, when A. L. McClay was the apple king of this part of the country. For the past 22 years Mr. Tatman has been a Ford car and farm machinery salesman in Roodhouse where he has his own home. Mr. and Mrs. Tatman are the parents of three children, Mrs. Ray Brown of White Hall; Mrs. Max Brady of Greenfield, and Ward F. Tatman of Chicago, and are the grandparents of Linda and Jackie Brady of Greenfield. Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Max Brady and children of Greenfield; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown of Carrollton; Mrs. Ruth Brady of Iowa City, Iowa; and the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Tatman, Roodhouse.

A. C. Poole Dies

A. C. Poole, train dispatcher of Bloomington, formerly of Roodhouse, passed away Christmas Day at the home of his parents in Enoree, South Carolina. He had worked as dispatcher for 30 years, and left Roodhouse about 15 years ago.

News Notes

A surprise oyster supper was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Nettles to celebrate their 37th wedding anniversary. Those of their children present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Day, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worcester, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson and daughter, Mary Ella, of Evanson; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Worcester and sons, Dick and Bob, of Newton; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Worcester and daughter, Patricia, of Wood River, and Hal Worcester of St. Louis, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Worcester and daughter, Susan.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woolsey and family of Medora; Mr. and Mrs. McLane and son, Dick, of Kane, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Alalla, of Carrollton, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vigue.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ferguson entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Morton Campbell and Warren, Weldon and Henrietta Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen and son, Lionel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Simmons and daughters, Margaret Ellen and Doris, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Abner Day and Edward Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee Tiffany and daughter, Charlene, of Moulton, Iowa; Mrs. Cordia Swisgood, of Browning, Mo., and Russell Tiffany of Peoria, spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Tiffany. Mrs. Swisgood and Mrs. Tiffany are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitney of Champaign spent Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Lotta Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Casteel, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ash, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berry and Marion and Calvin Smith spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Casteel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smothers of Hillview spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Black, and daughter, Betty, of MacMurray, of Jacksonville, and son, Dale.

Mrs. Paul Drennan and Mrs. Jessie Smith spent Christmas day with the latter's sister, Mrs. C. S. Heaton, of Manchester.

Dr. Audrey McDonald of Mercy hospital in Des Moines, Iowa, will be at home New Year's day for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDonald.

Percy Russell of Shurtleff college is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Welsh of Chicago spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hazelwood of White Hall.

W. C. Sowers, who is in the Barnes hospital in St. Louis, was unable to be brought home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gano of Jacksonville spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Storey.

106TH CAVALRY

Chicago, Dec. 26.—(P)—Major Roy D. Keehn, Jr., commander, announced today that the Black Horse Squadron of the 106th Cavalry Regiment, Illinois National Guard, would depart by train on Jan. 2 for a year's military service at Camp Livingston, La.

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FEARNEYHOUGHS HAVE DINNER FOR FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farneyhough entertained with a family turkey dinner Christmas evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Morris, Donna and Russell; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farneyhough, Andy and Arneada; Mr. and Mrs. Watson Maddox of Decatur, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spangler and daughter Jo Ann; Grace, Clarence and Oran Farneyhough, Miss Pearl McLane and Miss Virginia McCarty.

Woman's Club At Hillview Holds Regular Meeting

Other News Notes From Hillview And Vicinity

Hillview, Dec. 26.—The Pleasant Dale Women's club met last week with Mrs. Ethie Hubbard. There were 12 members and six guests. Mrs. Ernest Schutze, Mrs. Lyndell Price and daughter Janet, Mrs. Earl Hubbard, Mrs. Mae Toden, and Mrs. Pearl Lennington present. The roll call was answered by graduate verses. Mrs. Ernest Schutze gave an interesting description of "A Garden in the house," "A Christmas prayer" by Kathleen Norris was read by Mrs. Ethie Hubbard. Mrs. Mark Trippin also took part. Mrs. Ethie Hubbard won the guess box. The gift exchange was handled by Mrs. Fred Wood, the president. Several received prizes in bingo.

News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis McClelling and Mr. and Mrs. Vere McClelling presented the latter's daughter Elinor to St. Louis last Friday to see her doctor.

Floyd Patterson and Kent Clark attended a safety meeting at East St. Louis last Thursday.

The school gave its program on Friday night and the community church on Sunday afternoon before nice crowd, followed by distribution of gifts, candy and oranges. The Baptist church program was held Tuesday night.

Max and Sapha Powell, students at the University of Illinois, are home to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Powell.

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Mrs. Arundel was born in Redington, England, Feb. 10, 1856. She came to this country when quite young and spent most of her life in Bluffs.

Her husband Edward Arundel and two daughters and a son preceded her in death. Mrs. Arundel is survived by two sons, Walter Arundel of this city and Squire Arundel of Springfield. Three grandsons, Earl and Howard Arundel of Jacksonville and Russell Arundel of Washington, and three great grandchildren also survive.

She was a charter member of the Bluffs Order of Eastern Star, the Rebekah Lodge and the Missionary Society and Woman's Club of the Central Methodist church.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Central Methodist church with Rev. V. T. Brunner officiating.

Interment will be in the Green cemetery, one mile south of Bluffs.

Mrs. Logan Parry Entertains Club

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TWINS MEET AFTER HALF CENTURY



(CNAE Telephoto)
Seventy-one year old Mrs. Jane Young (left) of San Francisco and her twin sister, Mrs. Sarah Wilson of Hopkins, Mo., meet in Kansas City for holiday reunion after being separated 56 years.

Mrs. I. M. Bunce Is Delivers Baskets On Christmas Day

148 Families Provided With Dinners By The Local Organization

The Salvation Army distributed 148 Christmas baskets of food to the needy of Jacksonville on Christmas day. The collection for the Christmas fund amounted to \$216.27, the largest amount ever collected for the annual distribution of food by this organization in this city. The number of baskets was also a record.

The majority of baskets were delivered Christmas morning, but some were delivered in the afternoon, and even during the evening, when it was discovered some families had not been provided for, the Army workers packed baskets and delivered them. Four baskets were sent to needy families in Wincheser.

Mrs. Mae Myers was the program leader and readings were given by Mrs. Jean Petefish and Miss Myers. There were 11 members present and among